

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as shown in Attachment "A". A clean copy of the amended specification paragraph is provided in Attachment "B".

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 11 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claim 1 as shown in Attachment "C". Please enter newly submitted claim 12. A clean copy of the amended and newly submitted claims is provided in Attachment "D".

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REMARKS

Claims 1-10 and 12 are pending in the application and are presented for reconsideration and further examination in view of the foregoing amendments and following remarks.

In the outstanding Office Action claim 11 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph as indefinite; and claims 1-10 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as obvious over U.S. Patent No. 4,787,699 to Moulin in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,179,658 to Gunay et al. and U.S. Patent No. 6,325,670 to Murayama.

By this Response and Amendment claim 11 is canceled; claim 1 is amended to clarify the invention; the rejections of claims 1-10 are traversed and arguments in support thereof are provided; the specification is amended to correct a transposition of digits in